

# Unitarian Universalist Fellowship of Salisbury

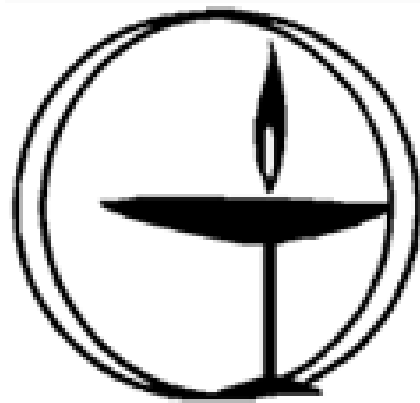
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Home of Liberal Religion on Maryland's Eastern Shore

Please join us for service Sundays at 11:00 AM

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## Sunday Services – November 2009

### November 1 – *A Service of Remembrance*

At this time of the year we celebrate Halloween; Christians celebrate “All Saints’ Day” and “All Souls’ Day” or the “Day of the Dead”; Wiccans celebrate Samhain, marking endings and new beginnings. Let us take the time to remember an important loved one who has died. You will be invited to speak their name and share your memories of that special person.

### November 8 – **Mental Re-mapping** John Wright

When someone moves from one coast to another, they frequently must re-orient themselves. Our Minister, John Wright, recently heard this referred to as “mental re-mapping”. In this service, John will look at how “mental re-mapping” is often necessary in life, and how it might serve to influence our lives in positive ways.

John received his Master of Divinity degree from the Starr King School for the Ministry, the Unitarian Universalist Seminary in Berkeley, California. His particular field of specialization is pastoral care surrounding death and loss. John now serves as Consulting Minister to the UUFS.

### November 15 - *We Want the Funk: Living from the Gut* Wes Davis

Wes Davis is an educator, musician, writer and speaker with a broad range of interests and life experiences. He earned his Master of Divinity degree from Wesley Theological Seminary in Washington, D.C. and served as a United Methodist pastor for thirteen years. Currently he is a full-time musician performing mostly in the Ocean City, Maryland area and an adjunct faculty member at Salisbury University in the Communication Arts Department.

### November 22 – *Gratitude Isn’t Just For Thanksgiving* Kit Wright

In her book, “Attitudes of Gratitude” M.J. Ryan speaks of “the simple joy of living from a grateful heart”. In this service, Kit Wright will consider our sources of gratitude and the many ways we understand and express “giving thanks” as well as the healing power of gratitude. As part of the service, Kit will use examples you have provided. So, if you would be willing to allow Kit to use your example, please complete one of the following sentences, “I am grateful for \_\_\_\_\_” or, “What gives my life joy is\_\_\_\_\_.” Concise yet heartfelt answers are especially appreciated. Please e-mail it to Kit at [miskit@sbcglobal.net](mailto:miskit@sbcglobal.net), in advance.

Kit Wright is a retired Preschool/Parent Education Teacher turned Fabric Artist. Her business, Kit's Karma Creations, came into being as a "Life gives you lemons" situation. When Kit and her husband, John Wright, lived in California while John was attending the Starr King School for the Ministry, they had 2 lemon trees in their yard. This turned out to be both a metaphor for the years that followed and a source of gratitude and lemon juice! Kit grew up in a military family and has lived or visited almost all the states in the US plus Canada, Mexico, Japan, Guam, and Okinawa. Kit was raised Roman Catholic and was a member of the Baha'i Faith for 15 years. She joined her first Unitarian Universalist Church in 1986 (Seattle, WA) and attended UU

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Churches in Baltimore (MD), Walnut Creek (CA) and Milton and Groton (MA). She has been a member of UUFS since 2008.

November 29 - **Count Your Blessings** & Pot Luck Luncheon

In this brief, multigenerational service, our Minister John Wright will consider the uses of “light” imagery in the many festivals celebrated around this time of year. Following this, we will have our annual “Count Your Blessings Potluck Luncheon”. Whether or not you have leftovers, everyone is invited! Bring your Thanksgiving blessings (and leftovers) to share with the Fellowship.